



General Assembly

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Amendment

LCO No. 6143

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Offered by:

REP. TABORSAK, 109th Dist.

To: Senate Bill No. 682

File No. 459

Cal. No. 479

***"AN ACT PROTECTING THE HOME ADDRESSES OF
INSPECTORS IN THE DIVISION OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE."***

1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and
2 internal references accordingly:

3 "Sec. 501. Section 4-184a of the general statutes is repealed and the
4 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2008*):

5 (a) For the purposes of this section:

6 (1) "Person" means a person as defined in section 4-166, but excludes
7 (A) an individual with a net worth in excess of five hundred thousand
8 dollars, (B) a business whose gross revenues for the most recently
9 completed fiscal year exceeded one million five hundred thousand
10 dollars, (C) a business with more than twenty-five employees and (D)
11 an agency as defined in section 4-166.

12 (2) "Reasonable fees and expenses" means any expenses not in
13 excess of seven thousand five hundred dollars which the court finds

14 were reasonably incurred in opposing the agency action, including
15 court costs, expenses incurred in administrative proceedings,
16 attorney's fees, witness fees of all necessary witnesses, and such other
17 expenses as were reasonably incurred.

18 (b) In any appeal by an aggrieved person of an agency decision
19 taken in accordance with section 4-183 and in any appeal of the final
20 judgment of the Superior Court under said section taken in accordance
21 with section 51-197b, the court may, in its discretion, award to the
22 prevailing party, other than the agency, reasonable fees and expenses
23 against the agency, in addition to other costs against the agency, if
24 such prevailing party files a request for an award of reasonable fees
25 and expenses within thirty days of the issuance of the court's decision
26 and the court determines that the action of the agency was undertaken
27 without any substantial justification."